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1. An ink jet recording sheet comprising a support and an ink receiving layer provided on one side of the support, where the support is a fabric and the surface of the ink receiving layer has an arithmetical mean roughness of not more than 30  $\mu\text{m}$  measured in accordance with JIS B0601.
2. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 1, wherein the fabric has a pigment layer on at least the side on which the ink receiving layer is provided or is impregnated with a pigment component.
3. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the surface of the ink receiving layer has a 75° specular gloss of not less than 10 measured in accordance with JIS P8142.
4. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the fabric is a woven fabric comprising yarns having a diameter of not less than 200  $\mu\text{m}$ .
5. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 3, wherein the fabric is a woven fabric comprising yarns having a diameter of not less than 200  $\mu\text{m}$ .
6. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the ink receiving layer contains a gas phase method silica.
7. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 3, wherein the ink receiving layer contains a gas phase method silica.
8. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim
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4, wherein the ink receiving layer contains a gas phase method silica.

9. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 6, wherein the gas phase method silica has an average primary particle diameter of 3-40 nm and a specific surface area of not less than 50 m<sup>2</sup>/g measured by BET method.

10. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 7, wherein the gas phase method silica has an average primary particle diameter of 3-40 nm and a specific surface area of not less than 50 m<sup>2</sup>/g measured by BET method.

11. An ink jet recording sheet according to claim 8, wherein the gas phase method silica has an average primary particle diameter of 3-40 nm and a specific surface area of not less than 50 m<sup>2</sup>/g measured by BET method.

12. A method for producing an ink jet recording sheet which comprises calendering a fabric coated with a pigment layer on at least one side or impregnated with a pigment component and then coating an ink receiving layer on the pigment layer or on one side of the fabric impregnated with the pigment component.

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